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Western Teachers College

WHAS Broadcast No. 63

October 26, 1937

3:30-4:00 P.M.

From Extension Studio in Bowling Green

Strings and Voices "College Heights."

Moore

Western Kentucky State Teachers College greets you all both great and small with the words of our college motto ——

Voices

Life More Life.

Moore

Life More Life is our motto and our wish for all our listeners.

Piano

Chords.

Moore

After being absent from the air during the summer months, Western Teachers College is happy to come to you with this our fifty-ninth broadcast in the series which will continue to be heard directly from Van Meter Hall on the College campus each Tuesday. Please note that the time will be 3:30 o’clock C. S. T., one half hour earlier than formerly. We hope to present each Tuesday something that will in some way make life richer for those who hear us.

Today as the opening program of this season we have arranged for you to visit chapel exercises. Throughout its history Western has maintained the custom of assembling the students once each school day in a convocation. These chapel exercises long ago became traditional and stand out in the memories of thousands of students as among the most pleasant hours of their college life. The program varies widely from day to day, but there is always something for entertainment and intellectual and spiritual growth. The
students have just now assembled for today's convocation. It will be your privilege to join them. Mr. Paul Garrett, who recently took up his new duties as president of Western Teachers College, will be presiding. We now take you into the auditorium. The next voice you hear will be that of President Garrett.

Audience Buzz of conversation.

Garrett We shall sing No. 56.

Audience "Come, Thou Almighty King." (2 Stanzas)

Garrett Mr. Horace McMurtry, of the Department of Education, will continue the devotional exercises by reading a passage of Scripture and leading in prayer.

McMurtry I shall read the 27th Psalm.

1. The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? 2. When the wicked, even mine enemies and my foes, came upon me to eat up my flesh, they stumbled and fell. 3. Though an host should encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war should rise against me, in this will I be confident. 4. One thing have I desired of the Lord, that will I seek after; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to inquire in his temple. 5. For in the time of trouble he shall hide me in his pavilion: in the secret of his tabernacle shall he hide me; he shall set me upon a rock. 6. And now shall mine head be lifted up above mine enemies around about me: therefore will I offer in his tabernacle
sacrifices of joy; I will sing, yea, I will sing praises
unto the Lord.
7. Hear, O Lord, when I cry with my voice: have mercy also
upon me, and answer me.
8. When thou saidst, Seek ye my face; my heart said unto
thee, Thy face, Lord, will I seek.
9. Hide not thy face far from me; put not thy servant away
in anger: Thou hast been my help; leave me not, neither
forsake me, O God of my salvation.
10. When my father and mother forsake me, then the Lord will
take me up.
11. Teach me thy way, O Lord, and lead me in a plain path,
because of mine enemies.
12. Deliver me not over unto the will of mine enemies: for
false witnesses are risen up against me, and such as breathe
out cruelty.
13. I had fainted, unless I had believed to see the goodness
of the Lord in the land of the living.
14. Wait on the Lord; be of good courage, and he shall
strengthen thine heart: wait, I say on the Lord.

Let us Pray! Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we thank
thee for the many blessings of life. We pray that thou will
continue to remember us and cause us to grow stronger in thy
sight. May we realize the responsibilities that are ours
and may each of us strive daily to become more like thee.

God bless the homes that are represented here today. May
the fathers and mothers of this student body be blessed as they
work and sacrifice for the promotion of their children. May
we all strive for the upbuilding of thy kingdom in this world, each doing his part to carry out the Master's will, and may we at all times look to thee for life more life. Now bless us as we pray. --

Our father which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. They will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread: and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debters. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever. Amen.

Dean Grise will make the announcements.

1. The Girls' Physical Education Club will meet this evening at 7:30 in the Physical Education Building.

2. The Library Club will meet at 7:30 tomorrow evening in Van Meter Hall.

3. Mr. Sterrett, director of dramatics, requests a full rehearsal of the cast of Icebound tonight in Van Meter Hall at 7:00. The student body is reminded to keep open Friday evening, November 12, the date for the Western College Players' fall production. This year the play to be presented is Icebound, by Owen Davis, a Pulitzer prize play.

4. At the request of a number of students Mr. Alexander will, within the next few days, organize a class in Elementary Astronomy. This course is offered for those especially interested in the study for its own sake. The course carries no credit. The class will meet at such times as may be most appropriate and convenient. All persons interested in joining this group should meet Mr. Alexander at the front of the
chapel hall immediately following these exercises.

5. The Bronze Statue of the late President Henry Hardin Cherry will be unveiled with appropriate memorial ceremonies on Founder's Day, Tuesday, November 16, the 73rd anniversary of the birth of Dr. Cherry. The statue is being placed in the plaza in the front of Henry Hardin Cherry Hall, our recently completed Classroom Building. The memorial program will begin promptly at 1:30 p.m.

For those who find it impossible to be present at the unveiling of the statue there will be a special memorial program broadcast through WHAS on the same day from 3:30-4:00 P. M., the regular Tuesday broadcast period of the College for the current season.

Garrett
Mr. Vincent, let us have a song.

Vincent
No. 45. "Love's Old Sweet Song," one stanza.

Audience
"Love's Old Sweet Song."

Garrett
On February 4, 1911, a strange procession might have been seen moving up College Street in Bowling Green. This procession was composed of the students and faculty of Western Kentucky State Normal School, who were engaged in moving the furniture and equipment from the old location on College Street to the new site on the "Hill." The chief reason for this method of moving was economy; the willingness of the faculty and student group to give of their strength and energy to save the college money, was typical of the spirit of unselfish devotion and loyalty, which has always marked the relationship of these groups to the institution.
elevated to the rank of Teachers College in 1922; admitted to membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in 1926; and a member of the Association of Teachers Colleges in 1928; the story of the advance of the institution reads like a fairy tale. It is not to be understood except as you comprehend the ideals, abilities, and determination of the distinguished educational leader who was the director of its destinies from its humble beginning to the time of his death in the summer just passed. Endowed with great physical vitality and unusual mental power, entirely devoted to the task of providing opportunities for young men and women that they might prepare themselves for greater service, he excelled in the rarer power of inspiring youth to take advantage of these opportunities.

The fine physical plant, including a magnificent new classroom building--just completed--at the cost of more than a half million dollars, and the music building now under construction, is a monument in brick and stone to a determined leader who made his dreams come true.

A great host of ex-students and graduates of the institution, by their fine character, outstanding citizenship, and splendid contributions in their chosen vocational fields, bear witness to his inspiring leadership; and yet, I have not mentioned his greatest accomplishment. The quality which distinguished Western from other educational institutions is that intangible something which is felt by all who come to the College, which we call "The Spirit of the Hill." The creation of this spirit was his greatest contribution. Through it he
is immortal here, and through this immortality he challenges others to become immortal through accomplishment and service.

As his successor in the presidency of this College I assume, therefore, a most challenging and responsible task. I enter upon the duties of the office with entire devotion to his memory and to the glorious traditions of the College.

I desire to express on behalf of Western, sincere appreciation to all friends of the College, past or present, who have by service in any form had a part in bringing it to its present position of usefulness. Some who have rendered distinguished service have departed this life. I earnestly ask those of you who yet remain for your continued cooperation and support for the institution to which you have been so loyal, to the end that Western may go forward.

**Audience**

Applause.

**Garrett**

Mr. Vincent, head of the Department of Music, will present the musicians.

**Vincent**

Miss Myrtle Page, of Barlow, Kentucky, one of our seniors, will sing "L'Amour Toujours L'Amour," by Friml and "Take Joy Home," by Bassett, Miss Chisholm at the Piano.

**Page**

"L'Amour Toujours L'Amour," and "Take Joy Home."

**Audience**

Applause.

**Vincent**

Professor Strahm will present the next soloist.

**Strahm**

Miss Helen Hancock, of Sebree, Kentucky, one of my piano students and a sophomore in the College, will play "Chopin's Valse, Op. 42."

**Hancock**


**Audience**

Applause.

**Vincent**

I am sure that everybody would like to hear Professor
Strahm play his famous "Kentucky Normal March." Mr. Strahm will you oblige?

Strahm

"Kentucky State Normal March."

Audience

Applause.

Garrett

Mr. Vincent, I believe we have time for more community singing.

Vincent

"America, the Beautiful," No. 7.

Audience

"America, the Beautiful." (Stanza)

Garrett

This closes our program for today.

Strings

"College Heights," fading for:

Moore

You are listening to the fifty-eighth program of Western Kentucky State Teachers College, which has been a typical chapel program, including, besides announcements and community singing, devotional exercises led by Prof. Horace McMurtry, numbers by Miss Myrtle Page, soprano, and Miss Helen Hancock, pianist, the "Normal March" by Prof. Strahm, and a brief talk by President Paul Garrett.

We are always glad to hear from our listeners. Please address your communications to the Director of Broadcasting, Western Teachers College.

We invite you to be with us again next Tuesday at 3:30 C. S. T. to hear a cross-section of our freshman class.

This program has come to you from Bowling Green. This is Earl Moore saying goodbye until next Tuesday and wishing you Life More Life.

(Strings up and continue)